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We again respectfully request confirmation of whether documents cited on a Form-1449, which accompanied our November 10, 2003, Information Disclosure Statement (IDS), were considered by the Patent Office. To date, we have not received an initialed copy of the Form-1449.

A copy of our May 12, 2004, Amendment After Allowance, which requested the same, is attached hereto for the Office's convenience. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

The Office is invited to contact the undersigned at 503-495-4575 with any questions. No fee is believed due. Nevertheless, the Office is authorized to charge our deposit account no. 50-1071 for any fees associated with this Amendment and consideration of the November 10, 2003, IDS.

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